

B. AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

- (Original) A method for duplicating a user environment in a first computer system, said method comprising:
- collecting user environment data from the first computer system, the collecting performed by a computer program; and

storing the user environment data on a removable nonvolatile media.

- 2. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the collecting includes: identifying attributes to include in the user environment data.
- 3. (Original) The method of claim 1, said method further comprising: restoring the user environment data stored by the first computer system onto a second computer system.
- 4. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the first computer system includes a UNIX operating system.
- 5. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the collecting is performed for a plurality of users, each of the plurality of users having one or more accounts on the first computer system.
- 6. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the user environment data includes at least one of printer definitions, tty definitions, network interfaces, user passwords, and license information.
- 7. (Original) The method of claim 1, said method further comprising: transporting the removable nonvolatile media from the first computer system to a second computer system;

loading the removable nonvolatile media in a device capable of reading the media; and

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restoring the user environment data from the removable nonvolatile media to the second computer system.

8. (Original) An information handling system, said system comprising: one or more processors;

an operating system operable by the processors;

- a memory accessible by the processors;
- a removable nonvolatile storage device accessible by the processors;
- a user environment duplication tool for duplicating user environment data in a first computer system, the tool including:

means for collecting user environment data from the first computer system, the collecting performed by a computer program; and

means for storing the user environment data on a removable nonvolatile media.

9. (Original) The information handling system of claim 8, wherein the collecting includes:

means for identifying attributes to include in the user environment data.

- 10. (Original) The information handling system of claim 8, further comprising: means for restoring the user environment data stored by the first computer system onto a second computer system.
- 11. (Original) The information handling system of claim 8, wherein the first computer system includes a UNIX operating system.
- 12. (Original) The information handling system of claim 8, wherein the means for collecting is performed for a plurality of users, each of the plurality of users having one or more accounts on the first computer system.

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- 13. (Original) The information handling system of claim 8, wherein the user environment data includes at least one of printer definitions, tty definitions, network interfaces, user passwords, and license information.
- 14. (Original) The information handling system of claim 8, further comprising: means for transporting the removable nonvolatile media from the first computer system to a second computer system;
- means for loading the removable nonvolatile media in a device capable of reading the media; and
- means for restoring the user environment data from the removable nonvolatile media to the second computer system.
- 15. (Original) A computer program product stored on a computer operable medium, the computer program product programmed to duplicate a user environment in a first computer system, said computer program product comprising:
- means for collecting user environment data from the first computer system, the collecting performed by a computer program; and
- means for storing the user environment data on a removable nonvolatile media.
- 16. (Original) The computer program product of claim 15, wherein the collecting includes:
- means for identifying attributes to include in the user environment data.
- 17. (Original) The computer program product of claim 15, further comprising: means for restoring the user environment data stored by the first computer system onto a second computer system.
- 18. (Original) The computer program product of claim 15, wherein the means for collecting is performed for a plurality of users, each of the plurality of users having one or more accounts on the first computer system.

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- 19. (Original) The computer program product of claim 15, wherein the user environment data includes at least one of printer definitions, tty definitions, network interfaces, user passwords, and license information.
- 20. (Original) The computer program product of claim 15, further comprising: means for transporting the removable nonvolatile media from the first computer system to a second computer system;
- means for loading the removable nonvolatile media in a device capable of reading the media; and
- means for restoring the user environment data from the removable nonvolatile media to the second computer system.

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